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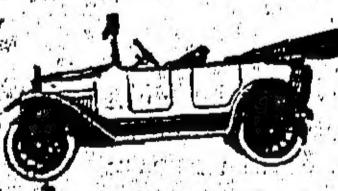
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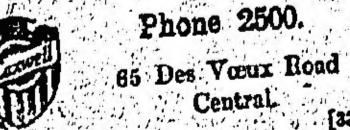


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NEW ATTACKS BY THE FRENCH.

Rauter's Service to the China Mail.)

AMERICANS AT ST. MIHIEL.

150 SQUARE MILES LIBERATED.

Loxpon, Sept. 15. An American official message at 5 o'clock this morning on both

.Chr. the St. Milliel sector our ad- Lisney and the Vesle. vance units maintained touch with The attack towards Concy Forest the enemy's forces and repulsed a at the south end of St. Gobain

Jaulny. 4 . . . success obtained during the two pre- villages of Allemontet and Sarrey and vious days. The dash and vigour of me on the edge of Villy. our troops and of the valiant French | On the Aisne the advance has been divisions, with whom we fought between a mile and two miles on shoulder to shoulder, is shown by an eleven-mile, front. One Division the fact that the forces attacking on took a thousand prisoners, making a both faces of the salient effected a total of 12800 on that front. junction and secured the results dewined within 27 hours.

GREAT FLAUL OF WAR MATERIAL.

Resides liberating over 150 square uiles of territory and taking 15,000 prisoners; we captured a mass of muterial. Also over 100 guns, of all

calibres, and hundreds of machineguns and trench-morters were taken. . Despite the enemy having buried, during his retreat, large stores, partial examination of the battlefield shows that great quantities unnimition, telegraph and railroad

material, rolling stock, clothing and

equipment were abundoned. · Further evidence of the haste with which the enemy treated is revealed in the uninjured bridges left behind? The French pursuit by bombing and reconnaisance units, also British and Italian boinbing units, divided with our Air Service control of the " air and contributed materially to the success of the operation.

YICTORS ENTER ST. MIHIEL.

THE JOY OF THE

INHABITANTS. LONDON, Sept. 14.

Reuter's Correspondent at American Headquarters, telegraphing or the 13th at 10 p.m., says:-

General Pershing, General Petain and Mr. Baker, the American Secreary of War, entered St. Mihiel this time to evacuate the inhabitants, bu had previously deported all boys of from 10 to 16. They had forced the old people to work. As for the rest, the least said the better. Whater relief it was from all those years of oppression could be judged from the transports of joy with which the Americans were greeted: "It was the same in all other towns and villages.

THE KING'S CONGRATULATIONS.

LONDON, Sept. 15. The King has telegraphed to President Wilson the following message: "On behalf of the British Empire, I heartily congratulate you on the

brilliant achievement of the American and Allied troops, under the and the canul. loudership of General Pershing in the . In the evening the enemy attacked St. Mihiel salient. The far reaching results of these successful operations. which have marked the active intervention of the American Army on great scale under its own administration, are the happiest augury for a complete, and, I hope, not far distant triumph of the Allied cause.

AERIAL ACTIVITIES.

London, Sept. 14 Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, reporting on aviation, states :---The weather again interfered with

Yesterday ten tons of bombs were

We brought down three enemy In the In Busses sector we occur machines and drove down two out hied Auchy-loz-La Bussee No British machines were missing.

NEW FRENCH ATTACKS.

PROGRESS ALONG THREE LINES LONDON, Sept. 14: The French launched a new attack

sides of the Milette and between the

counterattack in the region of massif is progressing satisfactorly. South of the Allette the French We are now able to estimate the captured Mont-des-Aiges and the

The enemy reactions were apparently very weak although the front line is strongly held. Prisoners say they were ordered to hold on at all South of the Aisne progress also

soners taken here is unknown. The advance threatens to turn the west? flank of Chemin-des-Dames and endangers Laon. The inside of the St. Mihiel pocket

is satisfactory. The number of pri-

has not yet been cleared up. More guns are expected to be found. 8.55 p.m. A French communiqué states:-

There is nothing to report. THE BRITISH FRONT. LATEST REPORTS FROM SIR

DOUGLAS HAIG. ENEMY ATTACKS DEFEATED.

London, Sept. 14. Field-Marshal Sr Douglas Haig reports :--

The number of prisoners taken by us in the operations carried out by the Third Army with complete success in the Trescault-Havsincourt sector on the 12th inst. exceeds

. As a result of the progress made by us yesterday north-westward of St. Quentin, our line has been established custward of Behecourt and

Jeancourt.

During the past twenty-four hours fterncon. The Germans had not the enemy has made several determined but unsuccessful attempts to recover positions, recently captured by us in the neighbourhoods of Gouzeaucourt and Havrincourt Yesterday a strong hestile attack in which the enemy employed flammenwerfer was repulsed with heavy

> At Havnincourt the enemy attack ed yesterday morning in force under cover of a heavy artillery bombard ment, and penetrated The eastern portion of the village. After hard fighting the attacking German infantry were driven out and our positions restored.

loss southward of Gouveaucourt.

Northward of Havrincourt we advanced slightly between the village

eastward of Trescoult and gained in footing in our trenches, but wast driven out mmediately, leaving a number of dead in front of our line. During the night a strong bombing attack in which liquid fire was employed was made against our positions northwestward of Gouzenu court. After forcing our advanced

posts to withdraw, this abtack also was successfully beaten off. There was local fighting resterday in the Moeuvres sector without material change in the situations An enemy attack at night southward of Moeuvres was repulsed established our new posts during the night along the west bank of the Canal-du-Nord, in the neighbourhood of Squoty and Couchy and opposite O'sy-le-Verger

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N accordance with the Frovisions the new Articles of Association of the Company, the Board of Directors have this day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND for the First Half Year ended 30th June, 1918, of THREE DOLLARS (83.) per Share.

Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office on and after the 23rd September, 1918. The TRANSFER BOORS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to 23rd instant," both clays

.. By Order of the Board of Directors. J. H. TAGGART.

Hongkong, Sept. 12, 1918.

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N INTERIM DIVIDEND of ON DOLLAR (St.) per Share for account 1918 will be payable THURSDAY, the 15th August, 1918. Shareholders are requested to apply for Dividend Warrants at the Company's Other St. George's Buildings, Hongkong.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 10th August, 1918 to THURSDAY, the 15th August, 1918; rkwith days inclusive. SREWAN, TOMES & CO.,

General Managers. Hongkons, July 30, 1948.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that IN AN EXTRAORDINARY GEN-ERAL MEETING of the Indo-China STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED will be held at the offices of Messes. Jarbina, Matheson & Company, Limited, No. 6. Pedder Street, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 19th day of September, 1918, at 12 o'clock Noon when the subjoined resolution will be proposed as an extraordinary resolution, viz.

"That the regulations contained in the printed document submitted to the meeting and for the purpose of indentification subscribed by the Chairman thereof be and the same are hereby approved and that such regulations be and they are hereby adopted as the Articles of the Coulpany in substitution for and to the exclusion of all the existing Articles

bhould the above resolution be passed by the requisite majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a further Extraordinary General Meeting and such anceting will be held on TUESDAY, the 8th day of October, 1918, at the same time and place for the purpose of considering and if thought fit confirming such resolution Copies of the proposed new articles and of the present articles can be obtained at the offices of the Company or at the offices of Messrs. Descon, Looker, Descon and Harston.

By Order of the Directors, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd. General Managers. Dated the 9th day of Sept., 1918.

THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY. LIMITED.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ERAL MEETING of THE CHINA Borneo Company, Limited, will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Gibb. Living STON & COMPANY, St. George's Buildings Victoria, Hongkong, the Registered Office of the above-named Company, on TUESDAY, the 1st day of October, 1918, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 13th day of September, 1918, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special

Resolution "That the new Articles already eapproved by this Meeting and for the purpose of identification thereof, subscribed by the Chairman thereof. be and the same are hereby approved, and that such Articles be and they are hereby adopted as the Articles of the Company to the exclusion of and in substitution for all the existing Articles thereof.

A copy of the new Articles referred to ...may be inspected by any bhareholder of the said Company at the Company's Offices in Hongkong, or at the Offices of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes & Master, (the Company's Solicitors) at Prince's Building, Victoria, aforesaid, on any weekday between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p/m.

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J. M. GORDON, a det. Hou. Secretary.

Hongkong, Sept. 11, 1918.

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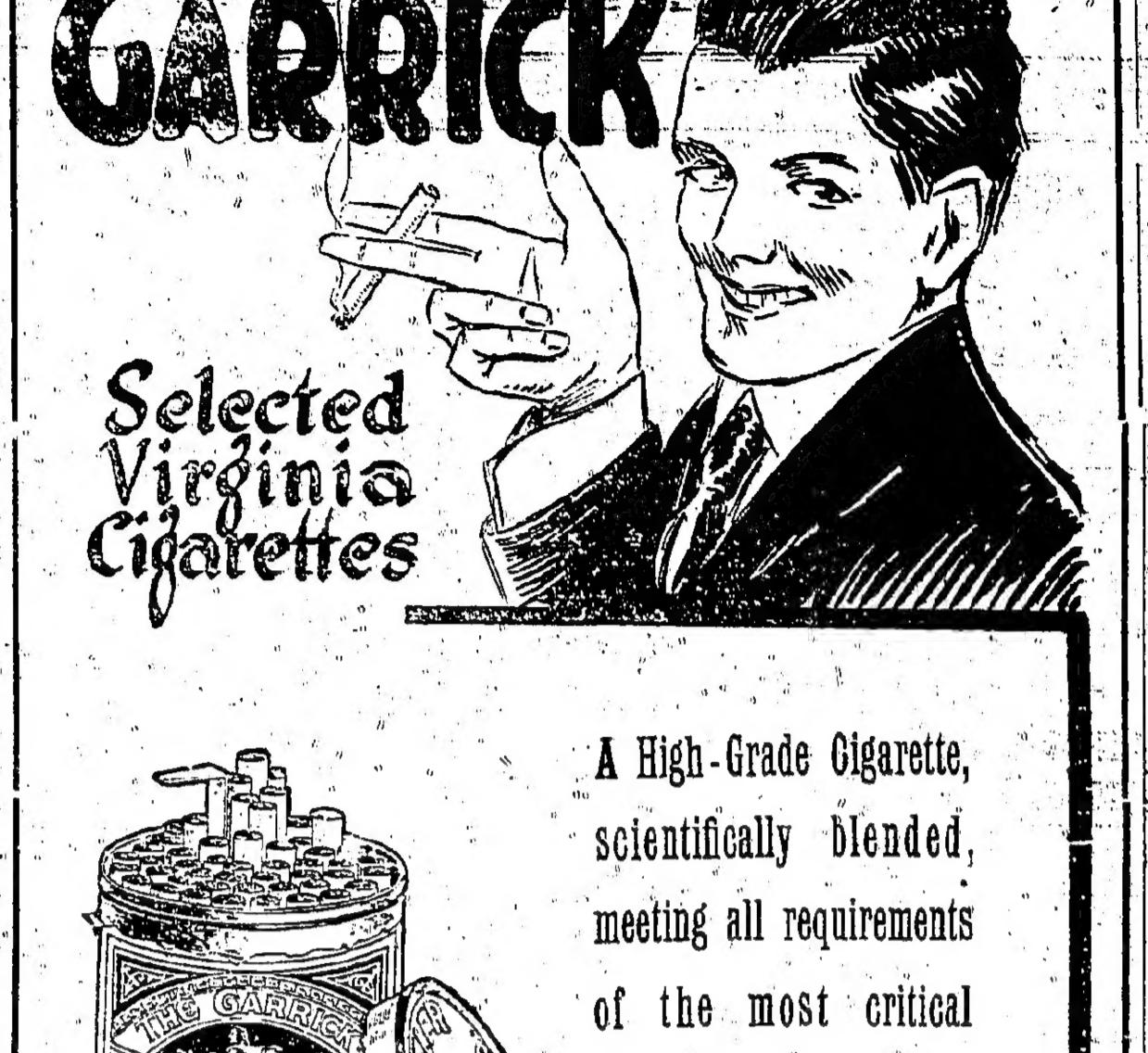
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Those quotations give a good idea of the spirit in which the surgeons of today are encouraged to go about their la work of remaking crippled men. One realises the importance of the work when one knows that fall of the wounded men are such cases: and one feels the romance of it when one reads how these surgeons are doing it: how they A LL Ettersio Trans Pass Entrance, can "plan their new routes," how they out of himself; how they find nerves and muscles to do the work of the others which have been destroyed with the man himself, for they cannot make the best use of a disabled limb unless they know what the man wants

most to do with it. They can often give the patient a choice of two things. If his arm has been injured so that it cannot be restored to its full strength, he may be able to choose for bimself either to have a strong stiff clbow, or a weak movable clbow. He must choose according to his trade.
Or suppose that he is condemned to a stiff elbow, at which angle shall he have it fixed? So much he is free to decide for himself. The usual angle would be a [357 right angle, but one soldier was going back to his old work on a farm as a milkman and so his elbow was fixed for

him at the angle at which it would naturally be to reach the cow's udder. The most interesting example of the surgeon working thus in consultation with his patient is the case of a big game hunter. Before the war his left arm was mauled by a lion. He decided that it would serve him best if it were atiff and stronger rather than mobile and weak, and that he would have it set in the position in which he

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would throw up his gun to his shoulder most quickly. Now his right arm has been disabled in the war, you would think that his game shooting days were

over. That is not so, however. He will go back to it, but first he has to decide it he will shoot from his left or his right shoulder, for should he now prefer the left the stiff elbow can be operated on again and made mobile. That is the way in which the surgeons of the orthopaedic hospitals work in.

of orthopaedic hospitule in an account of new routes, making nerves and muscles do things which they have never done before. Sometimes it is done by transplanting. Take the case of a soldier geons with true constructive instincts," who had lost the use of his wrist and and what "a splendid and inspiring elbow because some inches of the bones. of the foreirm had been blown away. First, the surgeon made the joints mobile; then he took a piece of the shin bone and placed it in the arm, and then by massage and electric currents and ex-

ercises, he restored that arm to use lost the thumb of his right hand at the wrist. Without that thumb he was useless at his trade, so the surgeon set to but the diberality of those wealthy men work to make him a new thumb. He cut open the stump and found the ends of the tendons. He then half amputated the third finger of the left hand, and at. Zionist movement would doubtless proboth hands together. Little by little it returns from the irrigated lands would can make a manner tingers and thumbs was transferred from one hand to the before long be satisfactory." other, and when the operation was com- / Other improvements which Palestine

plying the muscles on the back of the forearm which opens the fingers has been destroyed, he will borrow portions of certain muscles from the front of the forearm (which close the fingers), unite them to the paralysed tendons, and in three mouths the man will be opening his fingers with the help of muscles which until then had had an opposite effect.

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LORD BRYCE'S ESTIMATE.

more fascinating to see how they plan stands for about 300,000 additional im Or take this case of a soldier who had 300,000 or an even larger number. For these purposes capital would be required, who, both in Europe and America, have already shown their sympathy with the tuched its tendons to the stump, binding | vide what capital was needed; and the

plete; that third inger was moving in sorely needs are better roads and more the same way as the old thumb, of them. Viscount Bryce states: and how they do it all in consultation thumbs the "young surgeons with the might also be constructed, and better with the man himself, for they cannot constructive instincts" do also with ports provided. Haifs is at present the nerves and muscles. A torn nerve may only fairly good one. Jaffa, the next be sewn together again, but even if so best, might, however, be rendered more much of it has been destroyed that this secure. Such improvement would be so is impossible, there is no need for the beneficial to the existing inhabitants as patient to be for ever paralysed. The to reconcile them to any new regime surgeon, planning new routes, grafts in | that might be established, and I believe a portion of a healthy nerve or muscle, (from what I could learn when I visited in such a way that it will take the place | the country in 1914) that they would of the one that is paralysed. If the hand welcome any change from Turkish

ROOM IN PALESTINE.

In the Meneral Journal of New York, Viscount Bryce, writing on the economic aspects of the question of the Jewish consultation with their patients. It is room can be found in the country as it migrants. "If," be adds, "the middle! and lower Jordan Valley were irrigated. if reservoirs of water from the winter and spring rains were provided, if the hills were replanted with trees, for the land is now terribly hare, it would be possible to provide work and sustenance for many more-perhaps for another

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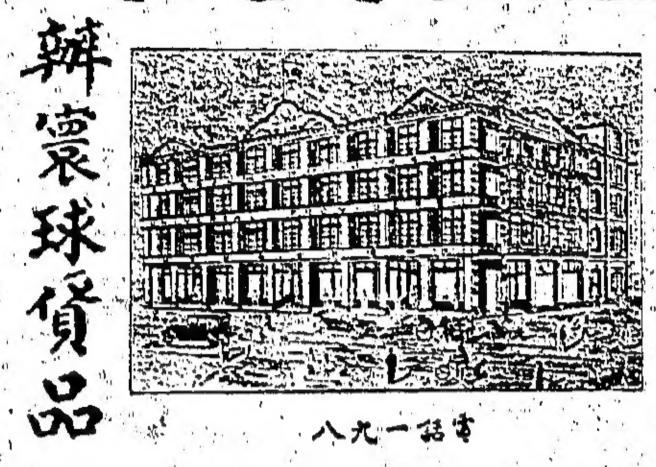
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THE WAR.

(Continued from Page 5.)

TELEGRAMS THE AMERICAN FRONT.

SUCCESSFUL RAID IN LORRAINE.

ENEMY LINES PENETRATED. Paris, Sept. 13. The Americans made a series of successful raids in Lorraine and the

Vosges during the past 24 hours, unbounded success in the treatment of penetrating the enemy lines at numthis stubborn disease because of this crous points, inflicting heavy lesses and wenderful property. The correction of destroying block-houses, machine-gun anamic conditions by Dr. Williams pink nests and ammunition dumps.

> ST. MIHIEL SALIENT OUT-FLANKED.

12,000 PRISONERS CAPTURED.

LATER. The Americans have completely out-Hanked the St. Mihiel salient. The prisoners have reached 12,000. The railways from Verdun to Commercy

and Toul to Nancy are now open to our

THE IMPORTANCE OF ST. MIHIEL

ESSENTIAL LINK IN VERDUN-

TOUL CHAIN OF FORTS. London, Sept. 13.

Correspondents state that General Pershing commanded the First American Army, including a number of French troops, which attacked the famous St. Mihiel salient that the Germans formed for years, was commenced a few beavy fighting at Dammery on in September 1914. The sides of the days ago. wedge are 20 miles long and its base 30 miles, St. Mihiel itself is only 30 miles

great iron ore mines. The French on various occasions. slightly pushed back the Germans, except at the apex, but the enemy positions here, after four years organisation, are among the strongest on the

St. Mihiel was an essential link in the Verdun-Toul chain of forts. Yesterday's operations bave already mperilled the German forces in the ialient, severing the railway from Metz,

whereby they were supplied. Over a hundred Tanks, manned by mericans, aided the smashing of the concreted enemy first line, which was crossed behind a dense smoke screen. The concentration of air forces is described as, the biggest so far seen on the Western Front. Four hours after the attack was launched, not a German

plane was reported visible. American observers and bombers worked unmolested, escorted by chaser planes. The country was difficult, high ridges and thick woods offering couceal ment for machine-gun nests, but the German resistance was slight. The enemy main forces had apparently

withdrawn to the second line. The correspondents emphasise that the objective of the attack is strictly limited. The French operated between two American forces and seized the western outskirts of St. Mihiel.

A DAY OF BIG IMPORTANCE.

AIMS OF AMERICAN OFFENSIVE

Paris, Sept. 13.

A day of big importance was the twelfth of September, when the First 'American Army went into action for the first time. The Germans offered resistance to the advancing Americans and withdrew to the second line, pursued by Tanks. The Germans will likely retreat from

The aim of the offensive is Briey and Longwy, the chief towns of the greatest 303 French from districts, producing threefifths of the normal French output. French troops co-operated in the new

Nearer St. Quentin the British and French progressed and more of the Hindenburg Line has been taken -Haras. .

ATTACK PRECEDED BY TREMEN-DOUS ARTILLERY PREPARATION.

LONDON, Sept. 13. with the American Army states that draw from their gains of the mornthe feature of the attack on the St. Mibiel salient was the tremendous artillery preparation, which began. one, o'clock in the morning and filled the valleys of the Mouse for four hours with a roar not heard since Verdun. The gunfire attained remarkable accuracy and when the Germans attempted Quentin woods. Sharp fighting oc-JAPAN-TUKTO, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, OSAKA., to reply it took the American gumbers curred astride the Scarpe, particular-FURMUSA-GIRAN, KAGI, KARESKO, precisely 35 minutes to silence the ly in the region of Navrelle and Keelung, Makung, Pinan, counter-fire.

The infantry, owing to the slight swept toward the second enemy posi- terday, but suffered beavy casualties tions shead of schedule, but, here sharp in all sectors. encounters ensued, delaying but not daunting the Americans, who valorously pushed northwards.

AMERICANS CAPTURE BENEY YIGNEULLES, ETC.

,500 PRISONERS AND 60 GUNS.

LONDON, Sept. 13. The American attack, on the south f the St. Mibiel salient was made on a front, of fourteen .. miles and they advanced eight miles.

It is reported that they have captured Boney, Bois de Theancourt, Vignoulles and Elendicourt, which would mean that the neck of the salient is now less than

6 miles. The endmy is blowing up dumps at Hattonville and Domtioux, both of rhich are outside the bottle."

ST. MIHIEL UNDAMAGED.

RAILWAYS CAPTURED WILL PROVE OF GREAT HELP.

Paris, Sept. 10. Swiss frontier reports mention un usual activity in upper-Alsace. enemy's claim that he foresaw and prepared for the attack on St. Mihiel is ridiculous in view of the numbers the same ground on which they met numbers still coming in; also in view of great effensive in March. the fact that the town of St. Mibiel is. During the past few weeks they

AN ENEMY REPORT.

the Allies.

"EVACUATION" OF THE ST. MIHIEL SALIENT.

London, Sept. 43,

Fresh enemy attacks, between Mocurres, and Gouzeaucourts were 28th, and, in face of a strong resist-

In anticipation of an attack, the desences of the Drocourt Queant evacuation of the St. Miliel salient, line which has been under consideration

heights cast of Maas, were repulsed. Idoxillers on August 27th and successfrom Metz and 20 from Briey, with its We temporarily lost the Combres failly participated in the Australians height, but it was re-captured by advance across the Somme. the Landwehr!

> The Austro-Hungarians south Combres, by strong resistance, sured the retreat of the Divisions St. Mihiel

The enemy gained ground The evacuation of the salieus was completed at night, undisturbed.

THE BRITISH FRONT ENEMY ATTACK, NEW POSITIONS

ACQUIRED. FURTHER" PROGRESS

REGISTERED. London, Sept. 13. English troops on Thursday took possession of Holmon Wood, expelling evening, says: the enemy from localities in which he

is in our hands. ...

assisted by low-flying aeroplanes, at tacked our new positions at Havricourt but were repulsed with great loss. Opposite Mocuvres enemy infantry,

assembling for a counter-attack, were subjected to heavy and accurate artillery fire, and the attack which developed subsequently was completely unsuccessful, the few Germans reaching our positions being killed or taken

We progressed during the night west in ammunition. of Auchy-lez-La Bassec.

STIFFER GERMAN RESISTANCE.

SHARPER FIGHTING ON THE SCARPE.

LDNDON, Sept. 13. Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters, telegraphing to-day,

In yesterday's operation at Harrincourt, we penetrated both front and support trenches of the Hindenburg the village of Sayy." system. It was a day of small! bitter fights, the troops being often ast of Mesnil-les-Hules in Chamankle-deep in water and Wali blinded pagne was repulsed.

by the wind and rain. The Germans came back several region of Verdun and took prisoners. times and forced some New Zealand The Daily" Chronicle's correspondent outposts near Gouzeaucourt to withlings but our men fought with

irresistible doggedues. We advanced our line north of Vermand, the enemy heavily but insuccessfully counter-attacking. We occupied Honlon and St.

The Germans seem to have shown German resistance in the first lines a tendency to stiffer resistance yes-

> The enemy counter-attacked in the evening of the 12th, cast of Hendquarters, telegraphing Moeuvres, where there was a con- evening, says siderable concentration of infantry, but a mere handful reached our new

points in Flanders. The weather has much improved.

CHRONIC DIABRHORA

THE SOMME BATTLES.

THE BRITISH SHARE IN THE

FIGHTS.

Loxdon, Sept. 13, 11.25 p.m. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig in a supplementary despatch,

states :--In the series of successful battles on the Somme front beginning on August 8th the English, Scottish and

Walsh Divisions took an important share in the fighting, and performed many gallant autions. Most of these Divisions have been advancing over already taken prisoner and the large and ultimately checked the enemy

practically undamaged, while the rail- have shown without exception that ways mentioned in an earlier message the tremembers strain sustained are all intact, ready for immediate earlier in the year with so much use. They will prove a great help to courage and resolution had increwise diminished their splendid fighting spirit. " For example, the Guards Division which in March and April at Boyelles, Solry, and Becquerelle uniutained the northern pivot of our defence, attacked on August 22nd and enprired Moyennevilles Elumeliacourt, and also St. Leger on the

A wireless German official report gallant exploits of some 20 other regions. Divisions including the Fourth, which The enemy captured Havrincourt, broke the enemy's attack on the morth Bank of the Scarpe on March lance, on September 2nd, carried the

The Thirty-Second Division, after August 10th and 11th, exptored The French, advancing to the Herleville on August 20rd, Verman-

> Pield-Marshal Haig states that his account, the doings of these ferent English, Scottish and Welsh Divisions are necessarily brief incomplete, and he concludes: " at the same battlefields on which they withstood the heaviest assault the British Army over faced, all have fought side by side with the splendid divisions from Australia, Canada and Now Zealand with a courage, gallantry and enterprise only equalled by their success.

HOW HAYRINCOURT WAS TAKEN.

LONDON, Sept. 12. Reuter's Correspondent at Britis Headquarters, telegraphing this

This morning's attack east of We laugh at the fools who babble of 200,000,000 guilders on six per centi-Our line further north was advanced Havrincourt was designed to clear revenge. A peace by understanding Treasury Bills. east of the village of Jeancourt, which out the irritating enemy nests and will bring nothing humiliating for us. to generally improve the line along por any period of misery and wretched-"During the evening strong forces, the series of spars in the region of ness. It would be an illusion to calcul-Gouzeaucourt, but something more ate on the will to peace in those circles was accomplished. Havrincourt being captured and also the important ridge and villlage of Trescault, on the fringe of our old trench system.

About 300 prisoners were taken. Although artillery firing has creased considerably in this part the front, unquestionably the Germans are beginning to feel a shortage

The weather continues very wild

FRENCH TAKE SAYY. RAIDS IN VERDUN REGION

REPULSED. LONDON, Sept. 13

4.30 p.m. A. French communiqué states: West of St. Quentin we occupied An important enemy raid north-

We made several raids in the The American attack in the region of St. Miliel continues successfully

THE GERMAN ARMY. ALARMING INCREASE OF

DESERTIONS. INDISCIPLINE AND DIS-AFFECTION.

Reuter's Correspondent at British

The Germans are being steadily in the Mocuvres sector.

was on a front of 12 miles and they lisin's Colle and District Chrysic and indiscipling are growing alarm. Germany was run on the some lines are growing alarm. Germany was run on the some lines are growing alarm. advanced 3 miles.

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Americans have so far taken and it will core you. For sale by all desertions are increasing.

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FRESH ENEMY PEACE TERMS.

CONDITIONS ENUMERATED BY

YON PAYER.

THE COLONIES TO BE RETURNED.

AMSTERDAM, Sept 13. Speaking at Stuttgart Dr. .von Payor, the Vice-Chancellor, outlined the German peace terms. He declared that Germany could not hand Poland again to, Russia, and could flot assist in placing Finland again under the Russian voke.

Garmany could not allow the State on the German frontier and Baltic to be again subjected against their will to Russian Tsarism or thrown into civ war and anarchy: Germany would not submit to the

Entente her peace treaties with Ukraine, Russia and Rumania. Apart from this the territorial possessions existing before the war could everywhere be

A preliminary condition for Germany and her allies was the restoration of all territory they possessed on August lat. 1914. Germany must, therefore, firstly receive receive back her colonies, in Plesembing the awful condition- in regard to which the idea of exchange on Russia, states that an extraordinary the grounds of expediency need not be Commission has withdrawn the most

The Germans, as soon as peace was Sir Douglas' blaig mentions the concluded, could evacuate the occupied terrible sentences and carries out

They could restore Belgium. Germany and ber allies again possessed Tsardom. what belonged to them and if Germany was sure that in Belgium no other State would' be more favourably placed than she, then Belgium could be restored without encumbrance and without reserve

AN INNOCENT AND ATTACKED -PARTY.

The Vice-Chancellor said that Germany was deeply convinced that as an innocent and attacked party she was entitled to indemnification, but the prosecution of the war to that point would cost her such heavy sacrifices, irreplace able by money, that she preferred, on calm reflection, despite her invourable military situation, to abandon this idea, quite apart from the fact that the forcible urging of compensation would inevitably jeopardise future peace.

ARBITRATION AND DISARMAMENT. The Vice-Chancellor declared that Germany was ready to collaborate as

regards a League of Nations, arbitration and disarmament. Germany desired disarmament, on the basis of complete reciprocity, to be applied not merely to armies but navies. Germany would demand the freedom of the seas and sea routes also au open door in all oversea possessions and

protection of private property at sea.

"We hugh at the idea that we should penitently ask for mercy ere we are admitted to peace negotiations, reported that the loan will arrange for among our enemies which are responsible for the opening and the continuation of hostilities. They cannot admit to their countrymen that their nims are unattainable and their sacri fices vain, but others among those peoples will think differently. Moreover, those others will prevail, soon er

late. Until then there remains for us nothing but to defend our lives."

PRUSSIAN SUFFRAGE BILL Referring to the Prussian Suffrage Bill, the Vice-Chancellor declared that the confidence of the people not merely in the Prussian but the Imperial Government more or less depended on the decision is the question. Further postponement of the decision was not permissible however seriously a dissolution and new elections in war time might be regarded. Moreover, he believed that the Prussian Government

the Upper House did not agree to equal

had already decided on a dissolution if

KAISER APOSTLE OF PEACE. INDICATION OF DISTRESSING CONDITIONS IN GERMANY.

PARIS, Sept. 13. . The Kaiser made a long speech during a visit to Essen. He once more posed as the Apostle of Peace, trying to throw the onus for the frightful hatred on even with the German people. It is a reasonable, is met at 49 d. sign of the distressing conditions in

GENERAL SMUTS AND PEACE.

Germany now in progress. Haras.

NO BETTER PEACE TERMS FOR GERMANY.

driven from all the ground where During the course of his speech on rearguards might prolong their resist- the occasion of his being presented We occupied several vantage and in the old defensive works. with the Freedom of Newcastle, The First Guards Reserve Division. General Smuts, amidst cheers, demuch depleted, has been identified clared that the Governments of all Dominions must be consulted and Austrian artillery has been in must participate in the making or action astride the Havrincourt-peace. The Dominions could never Ulesquiers road. Three battalions agree, and he hoped the people of ARR you subject to attacks of diar or one regiment of the 87th Division Great Britain would never agree, to though Keep absolutely quiet for comment any apiece with handing back the colonies to Gerconsist of one company apiece with handing back the colonies to Gersalient, where the country is much mere a few days, rest in bed if messible be an average strength of barely 100. I many until a complete change in the difficult, and resistance more serious, expful of your diet and take Chamber an average strength of barely 100. Finance more serious, expful of your diet and take Chamber and resistance more serious, expful of your diet and take Chamber and that disaffection Common system occurred and until was on a front of 12 miles and they lain's followed Remedy. This

and of Great Britain would be prepared to examine her claims to the colonies fairly, squarely and justly, He declared that Germany would never get better peace terms than those offered on January oth last, and the only way to get peace was to accept them as a basis. Then a conference could be called. There

SITUATION IN RUSSIA. ALLIES" DUTY TO RESTORE ORDER-

was no alternative.

ARCHANGEL Sept. 11. An Allied Missions' proclamation lischims responsibility for the expulsion. members of the northern Soviet, which was carried out by Russians. It' sava the Allies will-immediately release the arrested ministers and bring them back to Archangel. It emphasises that the Allies have come to Russia to-

AWFUL CONDITIONS.

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establish rule, order and liberty.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 13. The correspondent of the Tageblattimportant questions from the administration of justice and passes the most innumerable executions without & Court If or verdict. Its arbitrariness exceeds

THE SIBERIAN FRONT. ROLSHEVISM'S LAST STAND

IN FAR EAST. VEADIVOSTÓCK, Sept. 73 Numbers of Reds Guards, from Khabarovsk have managed to join the Red Guards and the prisoners of war at Blagovestchensk, where Bolshovian is making its last stand

in the Far East. 150 PRISONERS TAKEN BY

Japanese. LONDON, Sept. 13. A Japanese communiqué from

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 13.

Khabarovsk include 150 prisoners, some Gorman officers, 17 river gunboats and 120 guns. NEW ENTENTE LOAN TO HOLLAND.

An Entente loan in Holland is

Tokio states that the cuptures at

mminent as part of the general agreement being negotiated, wherein arrangements for an improved Dutch food supply predominate. .The Handelshiad states that Great Britain is mainly concerned It is

SERIOUS TRAIN ACCIDENT IN

HOLLAND. AMSTERDAM, Sept. 15. Forty were killed and over a hundred injured near Weesp. (Holland), owing to a train falling down the steep side of an embankment which collapsed, presum-

ably owing to the recent heavy rains. BRITISH TRADE IN AUGUST. DECREASE IN EXPORTS AND

LONDON, Sept. 13. A decrease of exports of £6,281,478 and an increase of imports of £9,577,523

INCREASE IN IMPORTS.

shown for August last year. THE PREMIER'S HEALTH. ... LONDON, Sept. 18

Mr. Lloyd George hopes to resumer

is Lancashire tour to-morrow.

The Silver Market is steady?

THE SILVER MARKET. London Sept. 13.

THE WEEKLY REPORT. London, Sept. 18. Messrs. Surnuel, Montagu & Co., in their weekly Silver Report, states: Again there is nothing fresh to report. The tone of the market remains firm at the maximum price. Germany's enemies. That kind of The British trade demand is fairly Kaiserian literature is no more effective, large, but, not being considered un-

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The China Mail.

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GERMANY AND PEACE

Even the people of Germany must

party in Germany. Herr EREBERGER

is reported to have cited it as a

fact that "the pawn theory recently

enunciated [by the Chancellor] in

regard to Belgium is no longer

the Vice-Chancellor's speech rather

suggests the contrary. "It Ger-

many and her Allies," The says,

a leading political thought."

RHEUMATISM.

the German army is inevitable.

To-day's Advertisements

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL."

The Income Tax results in th Straits Settlements show \$3,500,000

The O. S. K. steamer s.s. Kaij Mari will sail for Keelung via Swatow and Amoy to-morrow (Tuesday) th 17th inst., at 4 p.m. instead of at noon on Wednesday the 18th inst.

We learn that as a result of th fracus at Mação, reported in Saturday's China Mail, a Chinese mob has been endeavouring to stop the water supply which Macao draws from beyond the

Vicente Sotto, the Filipino attorney in the Hongkong Courts in extradition Temple but at the eleventh hour the rian, his first demand of officers, many perpetually dishurred Philippines' from practising law.

Quarantine Upper Buoy, marking the refuse to take the outh. upper limit of the Quarantine Anchorage approaches to the Whangpoo, Vangtze forgery and perjury and the onus was

WE wonder what Austria, Turkey A somewhat lengthy inquiry has and Bulgaria have to say about the been heard regarding the death of Mr. was of opinion, having regard to the terms of peace which the German J. W. C. Ellis, acting Deputy Controller fact that the defendant is not willing to Vice-Chancellor has just announced of Labour, in the Federated Malay comply with the consent which he gave States :- The magistrate's finding was that that point was wiped out altogether. public speech? We wonder that the choise of death" was a gunshot That being so, he had to decide the case, what the German people"themselves wound, self inflicted, and that at the so to speak, on the evidence of the think of them? In all the enemy time of the act the deceased was of witnesses. His Lordship said that, unbalanced mind. What a broke him he had the greatest doubt in believing Service. countries it will be perceived that so down was anxiety and strain experience long as the Vice-Chancellor's stateed over the Floscote Commission. He acting on behalf of his sister. The ment represents Germany's ideas of a felt strongly that he was not treated peace settlement, the day of peace fairly by the Government. As to wheis yet far distant unless the Allies are ther be had real ground for complaining able to enforce it by a more speedy of unfair treatment, the magistrate expressed no opinion, considering these triumph over the enemy that we can questions outside his province. confidently count upon at present.

now be realising that the defeat of THE H.K. & S. BANK AT SHANGHAI.

longer the war continues the weaker The Shouthai Merring states that the must become Germany's resistance, Hongkong and Shanghai Ranking Cor-She has no such reserves to draw upon poration has decided to re-build their Shanghai premises. The new building, for as have the Allies in America's which designs are now being prepared, will twenty-three million men of military occupy not only the Bank's present site uge! We cannot' discover in this but also that at present occupied by statement" by the Vice-Chancellor Mesers. Kelly and Walsh and the old any of those signs of conversion " Brand Bros," building. which Harr Exchenges attributes

to a large section of the pro-war DEATH OF MRS. STOCKHAUSEN.

> The many friends of Mis. S Stockhausen will deeply regret to hear of that lady's death which took place at the Victoria Respital on Saturday evening at 9 o'clock, ofter an illness extending over a month." Her less will be felt by very many to whom she was an invalgable

"again possessed what belonged to friend, them, and if Germany, was sure that A friend of the deceased lady in Belgium, no other State would be writes; Mrs. S. Stockhausen came more favourably placed than she, then to the Golony in 1875; hence she Belgium could be restored without was one, of Hongkoug's old resiencumbrance and without reserve." dents. As soon as the Ludies. Work-This declaration seems to say the ing Party was formed at the City return, not only of the Colonies but Hall for war-work, Mrs. Stockhaurtheir of Palestine, and Mesopotamia is a sen at once became one of its workpreliminary condition "-and thue ing members and worked on continu-Belgium, is still a pawn. Judging ously until her health gave way. To from the few comments by the German all who had the pleasure of knowing lotteries. papersyettohand the Vice-Chancellor's ther she thoroughly proved herself to speech, so very uncompromising as it be one of its most indefatigable must appear to the reader outside workers, and it is now only too well Germany, is actually regarded as "a known that her illness was very blow to German stout-heartedness, much aggravated, solely through her indomitable will power, sheer pluck Postage is Charged at the rate of fifty the idea of indemnities. When we tribute an increase in the weekly Chairman of the P.A.M., speaking at the tribute an increase in the weekly Chairman of the P.A.M., speaking at the read this speech in the light of the output of her strenuous work. In Rubber Co., Ltd., said although he proceedings at the Trades Union in- numerous instances the writer has believed most people were opposed to terview with the Chancellor and other had the pleasure of seeing the results artificial interference with supply Ministers, reported in the cables toof her weekly toil being packed and the present needed drastic and immesent to the City Hall on Mondays. It would be out of place here to Both producers and manufacturers would mention the quantity of parments prefer a steady price about 2/- per lb. worked and finished by her own dear hunds; in short the amount of work soon as possible. accomplished every week-apart from the work done ut the City Hal'

many working friends at the Cit

lines recur to the writer

You loved me too littly in life.

You love me so much in death.

THE SUPREME COURT.

THE PARTNERSHIP ISSUE.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

In the Supreme Court, this morning, before Sir William Rocs Davis, K.C., Chief Justice, the hearing of the case was resumed in which application was made by Li Man Kai and the Wo Loong Firm for a decision of the Court as to whether one Chan U Man was a partner in the Kwong Cheung Hing Firm.

Mr. F. C. Jankin, Counsel on Thursday last, which culminated in an offer on the part of Fung Yuk Nam to go to the Mam. Mo Temple and cut off a cock's head, which challenge was accepted by the chief witness for the plaintiff, Hin Chik Wa, and the defend ant Chan U Nam. Counsel related how who figured prominently as a defendant the parties concerned repaired to the and heroic leader. A strict disciplinaceremony until plaintiff had first comploted his obligation, and consequently the ceremony was abandoned. On According to a Manila paper a those grounds, Mr. Jenkin argued that

STOCKHAUSEN .- On 11th September, great fire occured in Tacloban, Leyte, the Court should order that Fung Yuk 1918, at the Victoria Hospital, recently in which property valued at Nam and Chan U Man should perform more than P1,500,000 was lost, Caline the ceremony, both having agreed to do first consisted of exofficers but, se the me hostile intentions against the Barretto, described as a Chinese mer- too in order that Hin Chek Wa should chant, alone having lost hemp and real not be able to bluff by insisting that property valued at more than P1,000,000. | defendant should first "perform ceremony. If that course was adopted, learn that on on about 5th October the the plaintiff, would, at the last minute,

> Mr. Alabister replied to the effect and the northern side of the channel, that the defendant had committed units. River, will be permanently discontinued upon him to perform the ceremeny first. His Lordship then requested Counsel

to adjourn to Chambers. the story of the defendant that he was sister was not called. He also had grave doubts as to whether the words on the resolution were included at the Lordship further referred to the point that the defendant had denied he had a according to his experience in the Hong | west of Baikal. kong Courts, for the last ten years, had a Tong name.

His Lordship then gave a verdict for the plaintiff on the issue with costs. Mr. Alabaster asked for an order for immediate execution which however,

was not granted. The second application that on behalf of the Wo Loong Firm, which involved the same issue was then proceeded with. Mr. Jenkin, after consultation with his client, stated that he realised the position and consented to judgment as in the first

STRAITS LOTTERY BILL PASSED.

The Lottery Bill was passed through all stages at the recent meeting of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settle-

The unofficial members were unani mously in support of the Bill, though the Hon. Mr. Derhyshire said : "We cannot flatter ourselves that our unan mity reflects opinion, outside Council. It is evident there is very strong feeling in more than one quarter

Example lotteries bere. The Hon. Dr. Lim Boon Keng and the Hon. Mr. F. S. James, the Colonia Secretary, strongly supported the expediency of a lottery.

Mr. James explained at length that further lotteries was only a conditional under the Omsk Government. one. He said he (Mr. James) had been the target of much abuse as the outstanding person who advocated lotteries. He did not agree with the arguments against

BALGOWNIE RUBBER

MR. KINDERSLEY ON PRESENT

and demand normally, situations like disto action. He denied that the R.G.A. wished to raise prices abnormally high. No dividend was proposed but an interim dividend will be declared as

TTAVE you ever tried Chamberlain's | -was to me little less than marvel-TREATMENT FOR DYSENTER HAMBERLAIN'S Colic and Dista vigorous massage to the afflicted parts Hall will agree. And now those two of castor oil will effectually cure the THE WAR IN SIBERIA.

THE CZECH COMMANDER.

APPRECIATION OF GENERAL GAIDA.

OLOVANAYA, Sept. 5. General Horvath, Colonel Semenoff, General Distriche, General Paris, General Rujii, Dr. Girsa and also the British, French and Japanese Military attaches are among the persons who have arrived or are on their way here for a conference which General Gaide, defendant, reviewed the evidence taken the Czech Commander, said he had called especially to explain conditions n the Chinese Eastern Railway terri-

General Gaida was made a general on lat September by the Czech National Council in Russia, at present at Ekaterinburg. His staff is composed of Czech and Russian officers who are all full of admiration for their soldierly nau they shall abandon all politics and devote their energies to their Austrian and German enemies.

General Gaids has especially em phasized the admirable conduct of the beside the Czechs. There is no frietion with the Russian troops, who at Czecho-Russian force progressed eastward, former soldiers were enrolled General Gaida is confident this can be built up into a substantial fighting force. under martial.law and re-established the original military, departments, where a Russian commandant managing the recruiting and forming

The Russian troops east of the rals are commanded by Colonel Pepelast who is twenty-seven years of. age and has repeatedly distinguished the help the Allies are bringing the himself lately.

Colonel Semenoff has been given the post of Commander of the Russian roops east of the River Onen, including the Vladivostock region, and the mobilization of the 1917 and 1918 Classes will be ordered in his territory. Dr. Teusler and Dr. Tucker, of the

Americane Red Cross, have arrived. Dr. Teusler is receiving the appointment of Chief of the Czech Medical General Gaids urges the need for extensive medical and material

assistance. The entire force needs fitting out for the winter. Bishop Tucker's investigation shows that the refugees, returning to their time the document was signed. His homes in Trans-Baikal are destitute. The Hongkong University maintain extensive programme to meet the ferred upon its graduates. It easily

"ORGANISATION OF SIBERIAN

" FORCES.

JAPANESE AT CHITA.

HABBIN, Sept. &. General Dietrichs has resigne command of the Caech-Slovaks the East and is taking over th organization of the Siberian forces, General Gaida is commanding the Czechs at Omsk, and Colonel Kadlitz is in command of the Vizdivostock

Japanese troops are at all stations as far as Oloviannays. Supplies from Japan are now arriving. A trainload of Japanese troops arrived at Chita them will be given 8800 annually for yesterday evening.

across the Onon are broken, but but there is no allowance for their repairs can be made. At the northern clothing. Nearly, all of them have end a wooden structure is efficient at srrived in Shanghai, as the University

Dr. Giras, who recently arrived Chu, General Secretary of the World' from Paris, is going to Vladivostock. Chinese Students' Federation was He will be followed by General Gaids receipt of a cable from the Ministery of and General Horveth, for a conference. Education in which he was asked to look with the leaders of the Allied Councils. I after the students while they are in this

Pri-Amus territories. Five groups of corps, the nucleus of the new Rossian Army in the the Governor's promise not to allow released territory, are now forming

THE RAILWAY STRIKE,

HARBIN, Sept. 8. M. Latchinoff, the Manager of the Chinese Eastern Railway, has threatened to dismiss all the strikers if work is not renewed within

twenty-four hours.

SIR CHARLES ELIOT.

PEKING, Bept. 8. Sir Charles Eliot, the British Plenipotentiary at Viadivostock, is leaving for the west. His first stage will probably be Irkutak.

THE NEW RUSSIAN FRONT.

Preing, Sept. 8. 500,000 Cossacks in Siberia ara express amazement that such things available and desirous to establish a were going on in the city, and the police new Russian front with a view to said it was quite a common thing to see

OCCUPATION OF HABAROYSE.

THE BOOTY.

has entered Haberovsk. The people

Tokio, Sept. S. A War Office message states :--The main strength of our cavalry.

are friendly. Our trophies between Uyazem skays and Habarovsk include 1? locomotives, 191 cars, 4 passongercars and 35 prisoners, including some Germans, besides 150 prisoners taken the 6th, including some German

APPEAL TO RUSSIANS.

ARMED EX PRISONERS THE ENEMY.

VLADIVOSTOCK, Sepr. 9. the following announcement :--"To all Russians who love their

native land : "The operations of the Allied force proceedings about seven years ago has defendant refused to perform the of whom are offering for service, is in Russian territory pursue the sole aim of extricating the Czecho-Slovaks armed bands of Anstro-German Russia, suffering the consequences of Russian soldiers fighting heroically a misguided government. Consequently the Allies only consider the armed

" Having concentrated sufficient until the present nucleus was formed. forces, the Allies are now advancing in order to pursue the enemy, and we Shipmasters will be interested to it would leave no doubt as to whether General Gaida has placed all towns it will be possible to liberate Russia from her perfidious enemies and render the Austro-German prisoners of war innoxious. The latter are in flight and have destroyed all the communicaport supplies to the neighbouring districts, hindering more and more

> "Loyal Russians will support the operations of our troops and render no aid to the prisoners of-war, Conceive what are their sims and assist the restoration of your native country."

Russian people.

GOVERNMENT STUDENTS FOR HONGKONG UNIVERSITY.

RECEPTION AT SHANGHAL

We take the following from the Shanghai Mercury: through Bolshevik destruction of their the same high standard as that of the

possessions, and he is formulating an London University. Degrees are con-Tong name. All respectable Chinamen, winter: A similar situation exists takes its place as the leading University

A four-years course on advanced Teachers' College of the University, for the British Government. which is established solely for Chinese students who want to further their declared, making a total of 35 and studies on these subjects.

The Ministry of Education realises that there is a need for men specialized on Pedagogy, and that comparatively small number of students have been sent to study this course abroad. As the Hongkong University represents the kind of education given in other English Institutions, the Ministry of Education resolved to sand twenty students to the University in the hope that they may be better qualified for improving the methods of teaching after they have

concluded their studies. -These Normal students are supported by the Ministry of Education. Each of tuition, etc. In addition to this each Two spans of the four-span bridge has received \$70 for travelling expenses, will soon be reopened. Mr. P. K General Semenoff is now recruiting port. At present they are lodged in Cossacks in the Trans-Baikal and the Federation Dormitory and wil

leave for Hongkong by s.s. Kwangtah. At 4:30 p.m. yesterday (9th inst) reception was given by the World Chinese Students' Federation for these Normal Students.

HONGKONG DEFENCE CORPS. Orders for Infantry Battalion by.

Major H. A. Morgan. "B" Company Pistoons on Tuesday, 17th inst. is

postponed to Friday, 20th East,

Captain. Adjutant, Hongkong Defence Corps.

Hougkong, September 16th, 1918. "FASCINATING" CHINESE.

M. DRUGGED.

to steeling # 21 note Visitors from Omak state that This crused the Assistant Recorder to

CHINESE AFFAIRS PEACE EFFORTS IN CHINA.

(The " Chinese Mail" Service.)

PEKING, Sept. 15. Liang Shih Yu has had a lengthy conference with Chu Sai Chong (the President-elect) regarding the political situation.

The President-elect invoors the retention of the present cabinet, while carrying on unofficial negotiations with the South-West for a compression.

Liang Shih Yu also advocates main_ taining the present status until Tean; Ki Sui's Cabinet has handed over the seals of office when a mandate should be " issued ordering a cessation of hostilities

The President-elect thinks the pencer General Otani promulgated to-day proposals of the South-West can be entertained.

The Premier has informed the President that he is prepared to continue in office till October 10th when he will retire, but he would leave the acttlefrom the traitorous attacks of the ment of the situation entirely in the bands of the President. Chu Sai Chong prisoners of war and rendering "aid to has therefore decided to send one a circular telegram announcing his will ingness to assume the office of President

EASTERN TONGSTEN.CO.

THE GREAT BISK OF CHINA BUSINESS:

At the annual meeting of the Eastern Lungsten Co., Ltd. at Kunla Lumpur Mr. A. A. Henggeler, presiding, said that only half the authorised capital had been issued. There was an overdeaft with tions. The damage to the railroads the bank of \$338.0 0 and the directors. renders it especially difficult to trans. | were contemplating the advisability of issuing the balance of capital. The profit for the year was \$220,302 largely due to the side profit on tip.

Mr. Henggeler emphasized the risk of the China business. He said :- China business entails great risks, for it means entrusting large sums without ninch security to our native agents throughout the Interior, territory which is at present, more than even usually disturbed, being the scene of fierce civil war, and this is perhaps an added reason why we should issue the balance and so wipe off our overdraft. Should we lose large sums in our new enterprise further East, with sufficient funds in hand our Malayan and Siamese business would not thereby be financially endangered. The speaker went to Chins on the company's business a short time back, and can assure you that despite the risks inseparable from any new undertaking in that country, every possible precaution is being taken to reduce the same. A scheme is being considered for still further lessening the chance of any China losses possibly involving the Malayan business, and a further visit to China in connection with

this idea may shortly be made. The Chairman added that Mr. J. A. Russell on his recent visit to Bangkok completed arrangements with the British Minister for the purchase and treatment A dividend of 25 per cent. was

\$100,000 was placed to reserve.

BILLING PARTY SPLIT.

IGILANTE' FINANCE COMMITTEE

RESIGN IN A LODY. It is announced that the whole of the members of the Finance Committee of the Vigilante Society-founded by Mr. Pemberton Billing-consisting of the tressurer (Captain H. H. Besmish), Dr. J. H. Clarke, and Mr. J. H. Collings. have resigned, and have severed their official connection with the society. Mr. Collings, in a letter dated July isth to the English Press, writes: " May I tresspass on your limited

space to ask you to announce my

resignation from allofficial connections with the Vigilantes, which were entirely honorary. While I am in complete agreement with the ideals of the society. I wish to place it on record that I do not agree with Mr. Pemberton Billing's methods of propagating same. Further, I do not consider that he should; as president of the society, disregard the resolutions of the Finance Committee." I offered to resign ou a previous occasion, but was asked to reconsider it; any statement to the contrary is therefore untrue Make Captain Benmish was an unsuccessful Vigilante candidate at the Clapham byoelection a couple of months ago, when

The parade ordered for Nos. 5, 6 and CROWN TO PAY FOR LOST CARGO.

he described himself as the third son

of the late Admiral H. H. Beamish.

He and Dr. Clarke were witnesses for

Mr. Billing at the Old Bailey trial.

In an appeal in the House of Lords recently the Crown lost its case, and will have to pay £1,513 for a lost cargo, with costs. On her way from Mudros to London the s.s. Marere was sunk by the enemy," and a cargo of sheepskins which had been previously loaded at Melbourne was lost. The Crown had used the vessel as a store ship at Mudros and Imbrod and when the owners, Mesers-Benjamin bmith and Co., sought compensation, Mr. Justice Sankey held that the contract was a military one the That she was inscinated by Chinamen carriage of goods being subsidiary. He and had been daugged in a Chinese lodg- decided for the Crown, but the Court ing house was the excuse of a 19-years old of Appeal reversed that decision and girl. Elsie May Brown, who pleaded entered judgment for 21,513 for the guilty at Birmingham Quarter hespions | cargo shippers. The House of Lords affirmed the Court of Appeal's judg-

new Russian front with a view to said it was quite a common thing to see
finally ejecting the Germans from the Figure walking with Chinamen in A. GOOD SUGGESTION.
whole of Russia.
The Recorder replied that the police TIBY Chamberlains Tablets when of castor oil will effectually cure the most stubborn cases of dysentery. It is most stubborn cases of dysentery. It is capecially good for summer diarrhoes in immediate aims of the Allies regarding lature ought to do something to prevent, certain to be much pleased with the children. For sale by all Chemists and the Czechs beyond their desire to the existing state of affairs.

Storekeepers.

The Recorder replied that the police appearance in the Legister of control of

TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

BRITISH PUSHING FORWARD.

London, Sept. 14. Field Mushal Sir Douglas Haig reports : --

We successfully repulsed a raid on the Conzenicourt. sector.

We pushed forward on the Havrincourt sector and established new posts in the trench-lines castward and northward of the village. There was local fighting astride the La Bassels Chinal where we progressed taking prisoners.

the neighbourhood of Neuve Chapelie where we drove off un attempted

. London, Sept. 14.

AIR MINISTRY'S REPORT.

The Air Ministry reports (***)

We attacked the railway at Cours pency, by understanding, -celles at night-time and bombed, on Count Hortling assured then that Securiday, the railways at Metz and the political leaders and the High Eluxing and also the Buhl nerodrome, Command were striving for such a securing good possilis. A total of pency and unanimously opposed consix-and-a-half tons of bombs was quests. As regards equal suffrage, alrephod. 👾

GERMAN REPORT.

One British machine is missing.

LONDON, Sept. 14 A German Official report by wire-

end technique Our advances and chemy advances led to violent fighting at Moonvres and Havrincourt.

Enemy attacks between the Allegtand the Aishe failed.

The enemy feit his way torwar costward of Combres and north-westward of Thiancourt. "

THE BALKANS

- LONDON, Sept. 14.

A Bulgarian communiqué states: We repulsed a British attack near the village of Schovi south of Glievgeli, after band'-to-land fighting.

THE ALLIED TROOPS ON MURMAN

. THEM WITHORAWS.

*GERMAN EFFORTS TO GET

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 14. The German Legation at Melsinglors has declared to the kinnish Covernment, that German troops will not enter the province of Karella if Great Britain and the other Entente Powers bind themselves to withdraw from Kurelin and the Murman Coast within a period to be fixed.

THE MURDER OF GENERAL BRUSSILOFF.

Loxnox, Sept. 14. Reports received both via Sweden and Germany tend to confirm recent numours that General Brussiloff was shot dead by Bolsheviks af

FRENCH COMMENT ON ST. MIHIEI YICTORY.

Panis, Sept. 15. There is enthusiastic comment the French Press on the swift and powerful blow on the St. Mihi salient with its powerful, defensive observation position. The American Army is described as the worthy inheritor of the traditions of Grant The allowance will be granted during the and Leo. .

The British continue to bite the German salient around La Bassee and more progress has been made towards St. Quentin.

Concerning the efforts of German propugands by the Kaiser, Field-Marshal Hindenburg, Count Hertling other? As relief has been granted to portant to the Germans for managuvring; Night flying is impossible. and Herr Payer, the French Press officers drawing up to £400 only it would and by threatening these strategic lines regards the moral consequences of the be but fair if the others who are drawing and the Briey ironfield they are forcing military situation as inculculable. The reverse cannot be kept from the allowance up to £400 per annum of their knowledge of the German nation. German prisoners make no efforts to not be the heart-burning there is conceal their satisfaction at being present. taken .- Havası

GERMAN OFFENCES AGAINST THE LAWS OF WAR.

tio laws of war on the Western

GERMANY ECONOMICALLY SINKING.

A GERMAN TRADES UNION DEPUTATION.

REMARKABLE STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14. The Berlin Tageblatt contains report of remarkable proceedings of rade Linion deputation to Count Hertling on September 12th.

The spokesman said the people

and become soriously discounaged over the recent events and they felt were economically sinking. Fort continued to be had and date regerousiv insufficient and prices extertionate, ecusequently, the bodily There, was, hostile, gas-shelling in strongth of the workers is declining. They must have more ment and it out which used to cost four marks now rest sixty marks and histed only marter the time and were unmond. able. The people's augor over the

Pre-sian auffrage question had reach-In conjunction with the American ed Solling point and the military attack, in addition to the bombing consership and martial law lay heavy operations reported yesterday, we on the Trade Unions. " He arged that dropped a ton of bombs on milways now that the "exhaustion of our at Armsille and Metzablons and enemis had begun and a break what down two hostile machines, fthrough had failed " it was time for

> be repeated the promise that if the Upper Flows, did not agree to it the Langag would be dissolved.

that the military authorities would reconsider the right of meeting and the censorship.

Dr. von Waldow, Secretary of the Ministry of Food Supplies, said it was impossible to get more ford, and to insure the milk and fat supply. The potato crop is worse than that of last year and the corn crop is only lå per cent better.

Baron von Stein, the Secretary of State, stated that substitutes for clothing most be utilised. Colored von Braun, of the War captured were undamaged.

Office, promised 'to examine the questional shortening the working hours but this was impossible in the

The Socialist Deputy, Herr, Logien, replying, said the Ministers' state. ments as regards food and, hours showed that the situation was hopeless. The workers could not work the present bours:

THE SILVER MARKET.

LONDON, Sept: 14 The Silver Market is quiet.

WAR ALLOWANCE FOR GOVERN

MENT SERVANTS.

A circular has been issued to all Government subordinate officers in the Malay States intilinating that 'His Excellency the High Commissioner has sametioned with effect from July 1, 1918, the nerease to 20 per cent, of the allowance of 15 pegment, now paid to officers on salaries less than \$25 per measem, provided that the allowance shall in no case exceed .83.75 peromensem.

His Excellency has similarly sanctioned with effect from July 1, 1918, the increase to 15 per cents of the allowance of 10 per cent. paid under the authority of C.S.O. Circular No. 10 of 1917 on the salaries, exclusive of duty, allowance, to officers on salaries (including duty allowance) ranging from £300 to £400 per annum, provided that in no case shall the total emoluments of the officer, in greatly modify the war front. cluding duty allowance and the temporary allowance, exceed £400 per annum. period of the war and for six months after, provided that the High Commissioner is of opinion that the conditions during that period continue to justify the

A comment published on othis announcement reads :- Why should one The Americans are breaking into the section alone be benefited and not the web of railways, which are most imabove this amount are allowed a war the enemy to concentrate for the defence salary and no more. There will then

dditional allowances.

MALAYAN COLLIERIES.

At the meeting of Malayan Colleries

The French Government intends sided and said that there was no lack of ppointing on Allied Commission to demand for Rawang coal, but the output ivestigute German offences against was stationary, owing to lack of labour and plant. He referred to the charge of profiteering and quoted figures in refutetion. Ho predicted that the to evacuate the St. Mihiel salient is taining all our gains. Parther north these countries be returned lenenth there is enthusiastic support for Collieries after the war would retain the Libst they did not follow the name we have captured Foese Right, which the rale of the Turk is a demand which fuzel to the ground for each French cout, was pessed and \$150,000 placed to The France American strack was see or Irigian town desproyed, Hards, I general reserve.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE GREAT BATTLE. THE ATTACK ON ST. MIHIEL

A COMPLETE SUCCESS.

LONDON, Sept. 13. Reuter's Correspondent at American

Headquarters, telegraphing on the evening of the 12th, says :--The St. Mihiel salient, created by the Germans at considerable cost, is in a fair way to being eliminated. As far as the operations have gone, a more complete success could hardly have been obtained. the double objectives laid down for the

day's advance being reached well in

The evidence of prisoners confirms the belief that a general vetirement to the Hindenburg line is contemplated, but if that is his intention the enemy has lost a surprising number of men in carrying

advance of the expected hour.

the weather is most inconvenient, it is unlikely to influence the complete execution of the objective of the present operations, which are of an extremely limited nature. For twelve miles the ward, past Mont Sec. a great natural section, practically to Pont-a-Mousson.

swooping down on retiring infantry, proposals would be a crime. portant town in the advance. A conquents. ib. von Wallrut, Secretary of the tremendous explosion was observed Millistry of the litterior, promised there and the town was in flames shortly

ALL OBJECTIVES ATTAINED.

LONDON, Sept. 13. It is expected that the present total of prisoners taken at St. Mihiel will be urgaly increased.

meathest days naust continue in order Moselle (in enemy hands), thence in a system which the Americans had was a purely local one and has been changes are worked by picked women most successful. All the objectives operators from New York, Boston, were attained. The enemy left a good Chicago and Philadelphia. railway from Thiaucourt to St. Miliel in our hands and most of the villages

AMERICANS SECURE FURTHER SUCCESSES.

LONDON, Sept. 14.

An American official "message In the St. Mihiel sector we have achieved further successes. The junetion of our troops advancing from the south of the sector with those advancing from the west bas given us possession MAGNIFICENT DASH OF FRENCH of the whole salient to points twelve miles north-costward of St. Mihiel and has resulted in the capture of many

prisoners. the enemy is retiring and destroying displayed magnificent desh.

has risen to 13,300. Thisucourt and Vieville.

AERIAL ASSISTANCE.

London, Sept. 14. The Air Ministry reports :-

In conjunction with the American attack we, on the night of the 12th. heavily bombed the railways at Motzsablon and Courcelles, with good results. We mechine-gunned Metz station and searchlights and bombed : Metssablon and other railway junctions and trainsport on the 13th, dropping 74 tons of bombs with good results. We destroyed one hostile machine. Two British machines are missing.

"THE HEEL OF ACHILLES.

It is believed in Paris that the success at St Mihiel was much greater than disclosed in the bald official communiques and that its results will

The Americans, here, struck at the very heart and nerve centre of other lines this salient has been crowded with fortifications. Field-Marshal von immediately westward of Auchy-lez-La Hindenburg recently inspected the re- Bassee and are pressing forward into the gion, thus proving that the Germans village. We took a few prisoners in the expected an attack on one of essential pivots of their front.

of what may prove his Achilles heal, also opening the way for further and larger American attacks.

It is stated in Paris that the first French officer to enter the first town liberated by the Americans was Clemenceau's son. This town was stubbornly defended by two Divisions few of whom were alive when the Americans entered

ST. MIHIEL INTACT.

A semi-official mossage states that proof that the Germans did not intend swift that they found St. Minis

intact and had the happiness of seeing the enthusiastic inhabitants run to welcome them.

The important towns of Verdun, Commercy. Toul and Nancy are no longer menaced and oit will be surprising if the victory has not further important consequences. "

> GREAT ENTHUSIASM IN BRITAIN.

LONDON, Sept. 14. The great enthusiasm in Britain over the successes of the Americans at St Mikiel is evidenced by the beflagging of Liverpool yesterday on the arrival of American troops. The streets were

lined with cheering crowds.

The papers in London express unstinted admiration of the American victory which is described as one of the greatest Allied comes of the war. wresting at a single blow the vantage ground held by the Germans for four years and proving that the tremendous force of the United States is beginning to tell earlier than anticipated. It is The attack was timed from the pointed out that nothing is more likely southern side at "hive o'clock" in the to open the eyes of the German nation morning. After a four hours' bombard- to the overwhelming and decisive ment, the troops started in mist and character of the new factor emerging in rain, and heavy rainstorms occurred at the war than the remarkable triumph intervals, making the progress of heavy almost instantly attained by a powerfu guns and transport difficult. Though American army directed by an American

"THE DEATH RATTLE OF DESPOTISM."

In this connection the papers are main southern attack extended east: unanimous in describing von Payer's peace terms as evidence that Germany fortress 1,200 feet high dominating this has already lost the illusion of a decisive victory, ridiculing the Kaiser's Essen The Germans are busy getting their speech which Mr. Gardiner in the Della guns away after the bombardment. They News describes as "the death rattle of offered the weakest support to the in- despotismend a confession that Germany is beaten." Mr. Gardiner declares that Our aeroplanes did splendid work peace on the lines of von Payer's driving every German plane from the papers are confident that the American air and bringing down in flames several victory at St. Mihiel will hasten balloous. A good deal of our fire was the disappearance of the illusion, in directed at Thiancourt, the first im- Germany that she can retain ber Eastern

A PERFECT COMMUNICATION

LONDON, Sept. 14. The Times Correspondent at American Headquarters states :--

The precision of the first day's operations at St. Mihiel was greatly The line runs from Pagny on the helped by the perfect communication straight line eastwards to Hattonville, evolved and were trying for the first along the foot of the Meuse neights. time. The various Commands convers Our line is consequently shortened from ed by telephone as easily as business men 40 to under 20 miles. The operation talking in New York; the central ex-

THE BATTLE" ONLY BEGUN." Paris, Sept. 14.

Leading military writers foreshedow an extension of the American attack. M. Bidou, in Le Journal, says the battle GERMAN SOCIALISTS DEMAND has only begun.

GERMANS" SHELLING RHEIMS. The Germans are heavily bombarding Rheims, concentrating against Cathedral, the northern tower of which threatens to fail.

AND AMERICANS.

Pakis, Sept. 14. Interviews with the French Forced back by our steady advance, American wounded show that they conressing crimicality and death rate. large quantities of materials as he goes. regiments assaulted singing the "Mar. The number of prisoners taken by us seiliaise" and with their flags flying. The principal German strongholds were Our line new includes Herbouville, carried with the bayonet. After a Thillot, Huttonville, St. Bezoit, Jaulny, | desperate struggle, an officer relates, a French detachment got into difficulties in a wood whereupon Americans, without waiting for orders, spontaneously dashed forward, surrounded the wood and killed all the enemy machine gunners at their posts.

BRITISH GAIN GROUND.

LONDON, Sept. 13. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig In the Vermand-Jeancourt sector;

gained ground in contact with the for the delusion of the Allies, enemy's advanced detachments and took. prisoners. South-westward of La Brisses progress continued despite machine-gun opposition. We took possession of Fosse Eight de Bethune and the adjoining slagheap, which is called "The Dump and forms an important local feature German front. Simultaneously with giving wide observation of the surround. the organisation of the Hindenburg and ing country. Northwards of that place we hold the German trenchlines neignboarmood of Westleders Pers Aviation was interfered with by low

clouds and heavy fain. The enemy is inactive. One British machine is missing. BRITISH MAINTAIN GAINS. LONDON, Sept. 13.

Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters, telegraphing this evening, states:-A battilion of the Forty-Sixth Infantry Regiment which gained the name

of "Lions of Cambrai" broke during our advance recently across Sauterre. in Palestine and Mesopotamis, and in and fled to Neale where it indulged in proclaiming other objects of the Near looting, after which remnants straggled | Eastern policy, such as securing liberty against our First Army front was being is morally impossible to depart, After organised when Marshal Foch's stroke speeking of the benefits which British upset the enemy schemes. It is dated rule has conferred upon Palcatine and

roposal flor, netalistion against whole of the Alled nations could be removing the able bodied figured in the sarly; fighting around no man of the Alled nations could German towns which should be capture a great part of the Colonial population and destroying the towns. We are pushing through tolerate. Auchy-let La Basse, near which welcook a callway triangle three days ago.

ACTIVITY IN CAMBRAL AREA. LONDON, Sept. 14,

Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters, telgraphing to-day; The enemy has been active in the

Cambrai area. In his attack hist evening east of Trescault under cover of a heavy barrage, a few Germans who gained a footing in our posts were easily dealt with. A bombing attack covered by flammenwerfer, between Gouzeaucourt Wood and the village, caused our troops to fall back to the support trench to escape the liquid fire. Our artillery then gave the enemy a bad time. W withdraw some advanced posts at La Vergier to give a clear field of fire to our gumers to deal with an infantry attack, which did not make headway.

BELGIANS REPULSE ATTACKS.

LONDON, Sept 114.

A Belgian communique says :--At night time the enemy violently bombarded our advanced works east Nieuport and temporarily penetrated observation, posts north-west of St. George's. After violent artillery firing the enemy re-occupied the lines of outposts we recently captured south-east of Drazibank. We reconquered all the posts despite, vigorous reactions, taking 50 prisoners.

GERMANY'S PEACE Terms.

GERMAN PRESS COMMENTS.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14. Commenting upon the speech of the Vice-Chancellor, von Payer, the Tossische Zeitnny says it is a tacit introduction to the forthcoming inter-Party conferences. The Berliner Tayedlatt says it is the first time the Government has uttered an unmistakable domestic programme capable of clearing up the situation.

The Deutsche Tages Zeitung says the speech, is bound to be a blow to German's stout-heartedness, especially the passages about peace and indemni-

THE VIEWS OF HERR ERZBERGER. AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14.

Herr Ersberger, interviewed by the frest, spoke optimistically of an early peace. He dwelt on the converted views of a large section of the pro-war party. He cited the fact that the pawn theory recently enunciated in regard to Belgium is no longer a leading political thought, and asserted that the unreserved return of Belgium is the natural pre-requisite of peace.

He contended that Bolshevism will break out throughout the world if the war lasts much longer. He favoured the idea of a League of Nations and disarmament after the war.

PEACE DISCUSSIONS.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14. The Rheinische Westfuelische Zeitung states that the Independent Socialists introduced a motion at a meeting of the Berlin City Council requesting the initiation of peace discussions, owing "to the daily increasing distress among the Berlin population consequent upon malnutrition and the reduction of the and people's 'entire standard of living and

AFFAIRS IN BUSSIA. SITUATION DESPERATE.

LONDON, Sept. 14. Reuter's Agency learns from official quarters that the situation in Russia is

The Bolshevik Government is break

It is now known that Lenin and Trotsky, prepared, a month age, for theirescape to Switzerland, commandeering for the journey a considerable quantity of gold for their personal

Furthermore," the latest information from Germany shows that a great demonorth- westward of Sta Quentin, we cratic peace campaign is being prepared

A DISASTROUS EXPLOSION.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14. A message from Kieff states that an explosion at Voronej destroyed six trains, the station, and other buildings. Over 350 persons were killed. Fifteen hundred persons have been

THE TURKISH QUESTION.

arrested in connection with the affair.

NEAR EASTERN POLICY

The Daily Telegraph referring to the

LONDON, Sept. 15.

presentation of addresses from the Armenian, Syrian and Zionist communities of Manchester to Mr. Lloyd George, says the cardinal issues of the situation in which Great Britain stands towards the senational elements in the Near East and the Turkish question as whole is one of the war. insisting upon the accomplished facts and justice for the Armenian race, we Mesopotamia, the Daily L Telegraph On the Comprai front we are main declares that Grymany's demand that

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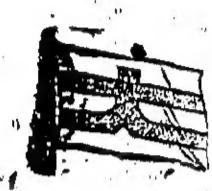
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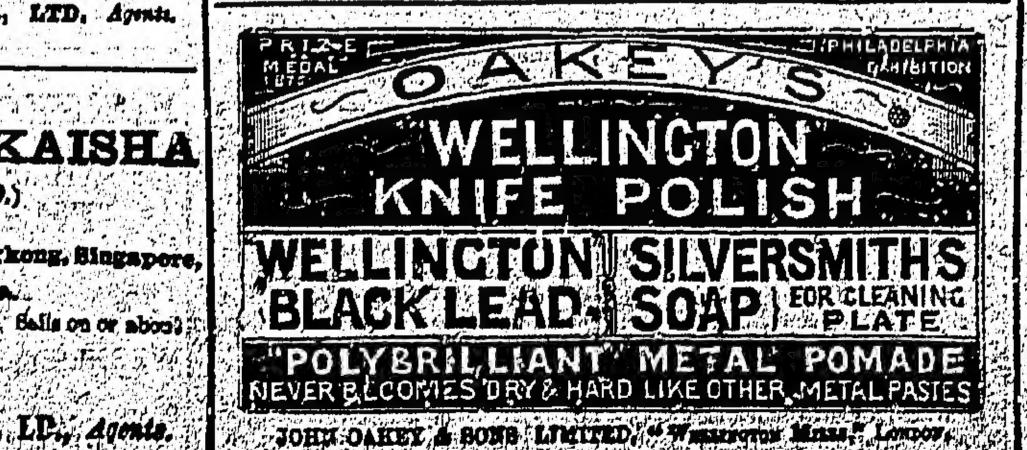
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LORD CUBZON AND GERMAN INCLUSION.

In the House of Lords debute on Rarmoor's motion :-

shall be enforceable by an adequate

Lord Buyer (Th), said the principle of the Longue of Nations had received the menerome of most of our leading states. non, but'it remained an idea and aspiration which had not yet been brought to the realm of fact and practice. It might

he necessary uv the cent of the narmif terman militurism still remning. poweg, to form an offensive and defensive alliance, and recent afternoon Ad not hold out the hope that the Germansluck returned to a better mind. But the Lengue of Sations contemplated an during peace, to which hearn's as well as belligerents would become parties.

the question the Government should institute a similar inquiry to that undertaken by the French clovernment. weathly have our emorphous effect to let subject. He mayed the following amend-

a League of Nations, and commends war without reference to arbitration the conditions required for its realisa- place. Then if any state broke the con-

LOGO CURSON'S STRWN.

Earl Curzox (Lord President of the Comeils said a debute of this character, was of the greatest value, in corning? ephnism. To the principle of a League of Nation's the great majority of thinking nen of all nations were converts. and the conversion had no doubt been dustered by the unparalleled cruelthes and sufferings of the present war Annua our energies lip service had at any rate been rendered to the idea. thought that the atternees of public men in this country and America showed that the idea would not be ruled out, that i had come into the World of international polities and relations to stay. It might he said that the present was an impayour-Juble Time either to disense the matter or to take any practical steps. It was true therefore, only result from a invourable ssue to the war. It was an incouraging reflection than

to a large extent a League of Nations was already in existence—or rather two Leagues of Nations. The first was th Mazue of the Belvish Empire, Joungalsng 450 millions of people, or one quantur of the population of the globe. Another League of Nations was the league of the Allied nations, which had some sinch togother to resists the militarism I Germany, This Engue presented to wir amornents, which were placed nuder a single command. Both there lengues had between them a population of 700 inflicas. As might, be in the list resort that these two lengues would useful as a means of peace. It they only wanted to extend the principle of arbitration there would be little difficulty; but they wanted to go further than arbitration and to deal with cases which arose. and render war, if not impossible, at any rate more difficult and risky in the future. That they would not do merely by ineasures of persuasion and arietration, for in the last resource they must contemplate the use of force; and, if "so, they must have some sort of sanction in the background.

IF GERMANY IS NOT ADMITTED! FOR DATES OF SAILING sion, during which no hostilities were and economic, to bear on the Power to be permitted; and, thirdly, the exist- breaking away. ende of a sanction to enforce the decrees | Lord Panaroon (U.) accepted Viscount of the body? Logically if the League Bryce's amendment and the motion is was to be effective it ought to contain all amended was agreed to-States, certainly all the great States. It it was found impossible to admit Germany they would then be committed the reproduction and stereotyping of the very difficulties which now existed, because they would have, two leagues in existence, a league of friendly pations and a league of hostile nations, dividing Europe into two opposing campa, a situa: tion which would be much more likely to provoke a revival of war. To the

> "THE LIMITATION OF ARMADIENTS." With regard to the limitation of armaments, he asked them how they could limit the number of soldiers, guns, and ships in the possession of the States who joined the League? Wers they to limit the use of the various instruments of war, which had been developed to such a high degree ? In such a case the League must have power to inspect and control, and that meant the complete control of the sources of production of the various countries concerned. He did

> question whether they should include the

neutral States he answered emphatically

"Yes," because they were the very

not see how they could impose such restraint upon pasterity, even if the present, generation consented to it. How were they to provide for ultimate terri-

torial extension and rearrangements in

the tubure? They could not stereotype

The fact was, therefore, that Longue of Nations presupposed a sertain equity and stability of conditions. It Germany retained the western "pro-"That this House approves the prin- vinces of Bessia and Alsaco-Lorraine, ciple of a League of Nations, and the how could the League, by any fixed or constitution of a tribunal whose orders stereotyped scheme, deny those States opportunity of recovering their freedom

the existing condition of affairs.

fin the future? (Heur, heur,) As to economic pressure, that, of course, awas the use of force,"the suspension of commercial intercourse with an offending nation. A good many of these expedicitts they were practising, at present They must not proceed too far, and at tomps as this stage a hard-and-fast ayefrom which could only be assended by failure. And if they failed now they would not only destroy the chances of

in scheme which they were trying to con-

struct, But they bright throw back the movement for generations to come. A CONFERENCE OF ALL NATIONS NECESSARY. The twee propositions to which he would gar their useem were these-fire than they did want to his something to prevent hear, or to reducedwars and limit their scope and horrors in the future. In view of the universal complexity of For this purpose a general conference of nations was necessary, and if it was

be effective it ought ultimately to indude all the important nations of the world. In would be well that they should not go ahead for quickly, or they might be known that we were in earnest on this meur behuff. They should try too get some alliance or federation to which these States should belong, no States in This Hollse approves the principle of such siliance to be at liberty to go to to his Majosty's Government a study of the conterence of the League, in the first I tract in would become tose facto at war

with the oher States in the League. which would support each orise in punishing that State without any need of international police. a a

Some of the Spaces might do this by economic pressure, whilst the more powerful States might do it by means of their unval and military forces. In this way they might be able to abolish war, or render it a great deal more difficents in the future. They would comble every State, before it took up arms, tohave a discussion and open the doors t conciliation and compromise, and at any rate impose delay. Once they accepted the idea that before the sword was unsheathed nations should have free access to be conference, and that if a nation declined to do so and broke loose i would commit an offence and would become a moral onliaw, they would have done good. The Government were considering this matter very carefully. Doubtless before long they would exchange ideas with their allies. Lord Purmour's emotion carried them a good deal farther than they were, disposed to go at the present moment, but the Government were preparedute necept the alternative form of words which Lord

Bryce had suggested. Lord Whanhaux (I..) said this subject I had been idiscussed by members belonging to 24 different Parliaments who bethoused to the Inter-Parliamentary Union. They were all agreed that they must proceed enrefully in this matter, and ill. they could hope for at present was the assertion of the principle of a league of initions. He looked forward to the time when the temper of the German people would entirely change, and when they would see in Germany itself out over whelming desire to quit the path of milithey discontinuey and , join the cother nation's of the world in establishing i new corder of things.

The Numbershop of Your "said that having, visited the United States lie could testify that in that country the policy of the League of Nations was regarded us one of the essential aims of the war. He thought such a League should not start in too ambitious a spirit. It would be enough at first to create and keep constantly at work a Council of the The kind of cases for which they want- | Nutions, and to secure that no signatory ed the new body were those which the to the agreement or convention should mover of the resolution described as dis- go to war with any other signatory putes which there was no existing law Power without submission of the cause to adecide outside the scope of national in dispute to the Council and waiting jurisprudence. The idea was, first, that for the Council's decision. It should there should be instituted a court or also be provided that any signatory conference to which the signatory States Power breaking the agreement should be should pledge themselves to refer their regarded as having committed an act of disputes before going to war; secondly, war on the other Powers, who would the imposition of delay pending a deci- bring their united resources, military

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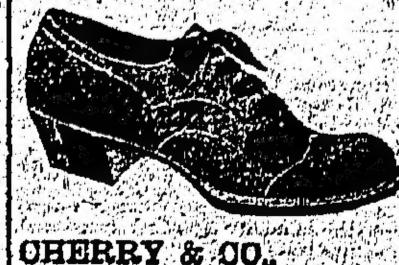
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LONDON, Sept. 14. The Daily Mail Correspondent at Harbin reports that General Dietrichs, from leave, all ranks requiring medical the Russian commander of the Eastern aid are to attend at his consulting room Unecha, has resigned and is succeeded as usual.

by Colonel Gaids, who is a Czech.

OBITUARY. LONDON, Septs 14. The death is announced of Field

Marshal Lord Nichelson. ANOTHER SPANISH STEAMER

TORPEDOED. PARIS, Sept. 44. A submarine shelled and torpedoed snother Spanish steamer off the Canary

" Y.C. FOR R.N.R. OFFICER.

Islanda.

LÖNDON, Sept. 14. The farcits announces that the Victoria Cross has been awarded to Lieut. Harold Austen, Naval Reserve, for services which are not stated, in action with enemy submarines.

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is appointed Lance Corporal., dated No 483 Pte. E. F. Angott and No. 523.

No. 311 Pte. T. F. Ford, "B" Coy., is, transferred to the Artillery Company, No. 591 Ptc. D. S. Gubbay is trans-

"The manner in which they acquitted Sergt: P. Jacks, Artillery Coy., is Ground, under Sergts. Oxberry (Mon., Mr.H. Cayron day) and Edmonds (Friday). Dress, Mr.A. Chapman themselves showed the excellence of granted extension of leave, until

the subsequent battles of 1914 and 1915 granted 6 months extension of leave, from the took a prominent part and behaved 12.0.18.

men is abolished. The salute will be given by all ranks

the person saluted.

fo cases where from physical incapa-

" (A. O. 211 of 1915). ANNUAL MUSKETHY COURSE. The following is the result of Classification of No. 2 Platoon, "A" Coy. :-

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Major G. D. E. Black, having returned

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Olass only. FRIDAY, Sept. 20th :-7.30 a.m. Right Half Cov. Full drill. 5.30 p.m. Left Half Coy, Now Layers Class only.

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Orders for Infantry Battalion by Major H. A. Morgan,

"A" Company.

MONDAY, 16th Sept.:-5.15 p.m.-No. 4 Platoon at King's Park Range. Annual Musketry Course, Part 2, Practices 5, 6, 7 and 12. Dress, drill order with pouches.

TUESDAY, 17th Sept :-5.15 p.m.—No. 1 Platoon at King's Park Range. Annual Musketry Course. Part 3, Practices 17 and 18. Dress, drill order with pouches. THURSDAY, 19th September :-Park Range. Annual Musketry Course.

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Part 1, Practices 3 and 4. Dress; dril order with pouches.

Johnson Distance. TUESDAY: 17th instant:--. 5.30 p.m. -Nos. 5, 6 and 7 Platoons on Polo ground. Fall in at Cricket Club at way Bay, T.E.T. Dress, drill order with Guam 4.2029.85 - - sw 1 ob pouches and dummies. All exempted men are to attend this parade (unless all Tests have been completed). Privates Alabaster, French, S. Baker, A. W. Smith, Wetton and Lcc.-Cpl. W. Wright of No. 5 Flatoon need not attend THURSDAY, 19th Sept.:— 5.30 p.m. No. 8 Platoon at Bowloon Docks, T.E.T.

MACHINE GUN COMPANY: MONDAY, 16th reptember :--5.10 p.m.-Nos. 3, 4 and 5 Gun teams at Hendquarters. Dress, drill order (with rifles) TUESDAY, 17th September :--5.10 p.m.-Nos. 1 and 2 Gun teams at

Kowloon Doors. Dress, drill order WEDNESDAY, 18th September:-5.00 p.m. Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5, Gun teams at King's Park Range. Annual Musketry ourse, Part 2, Practices 5. 9. 7 and 12. Dress, drill order with dreibles

THUR DAY, 19th September :-5.15 p.m. -No. 1 gun team and Casuals at King's Park Range. Annual Musketry Course, Part I, Fractices I and 2. "Dress, drill order with pouches. FRIDAY. 20th September:

5.16 p.m. -- No. 1 gun team and Casuals at King's Park Range. Annual Musketry Course, Part I, Practices 3 and 4. Dress, drill order with ritles.

MOUNTED SECTION. MONDAY, 10th Sept.:-" 6.30 p.m. At Hendquarters, T.E.T. Dress drill order. THURSDAY, 19th Sept. :--5.30 p.m. At Jockey Club Stubles. Dress, drill order without rifles.

SIGNALLING SECTION. TUESDAY, Sept. 17th :-5. Is p.m. Furade at Headquarters, Mr G. Bowles T.E.T. Dress, drill order (Rillo, belt,

sidearms and pouches). " rested during the first battle of Ypres ferred from "B" Coy. to "D" Company, MONDAY, 16th & FRIDAY, 20th inst.

Sectors they had been able to completely dated 10.9.18. 5.30 p.m. Recenits of all units, except Mr N. Burns sen Pontey
"D" Company, on Murray Parade Mr R. V. Cameron Mr E. Pontey day) and Edmonds (Friday). Dress.

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J. E. W. Beard. PARADIS. 0 WEDNESDAY, 13th Septa-5 p.m. Swimming fall in at Blake

SATURDAY, 21st Sept .:-1.30 p.m. Nos. 3 and 4 Sections fall in at Headquarters to proceed to Sai-Wan.

G. E. STEWART, Captain, Adjutant, H.K. Defence Corps.

WEATHER REPORT. September 16d. 12h. 22m.-No returns from Japan and Wladivostock. Pressure has increased slightly at Shanghai, Manila and Guam, and decreased Mr G. L. Coleman

slightly elsewhere; a shallow depression | Mrs Cormack covers the Gulf of Tengking. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.80 inch Total since January 1st, 81.16 inches, against an average of 71.39 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on the 17th September:-1.-Hongkong to Gap Rock: E. and Mr and Mrs B. A. Miss Perston S.E. winds, moderate; cloudy, rain. 2.-Formosa Channel: The same as Mr H. Hancock

2.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: The same as Hongkong and Hainsn;

ROYAL OBSERVATORY HONGKONG, DAILY WEATHER

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September 16th to 22nd, 1918.

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